



Gagetown School

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Pajama Day

Friday, November 16th is going to be PJ Day at school. For \$1.00 you can wear your pajamas to school! Money raised will go towards Middle Level year end events.



Movie Afternoon

Students in grade 5-8 are invited to stay after school on Friday, November 16th for lunch and a movie. Hot dogs, soft drinks and snacks will be available for students to purchase. All money raised will go towards Middle Level year end events. Permission slips are being sent home today.

Multizone

On Wednesday, November 7th Renee LeBlanc, from Nutrition Health NB visited our school to do 2 interactive presentations for our students called Multizone. Students had a great time learning about nutrition and participating in some fun activities.



Tulip Planting

Due to the weather, tulip planting had to be postponed. Gagetown School will be planting tulip bulbs in recognition of Remembrance Day. The tulips are uniquely developed to show the Canadian Flag on the petals. The tulip design is a gift from the Netherlands to Canada in thanks for the Netherlands liberation in World War II. Hopefully we will get the bulbs in the ground this week.

Soccer Uniforms

Middle school students need to return their soccer uniforms to Miss Thomas as soon as possible! Thank you! Next up: Badminton season!

Hot Lunch News

Some exciting goings on in the kitchen...

Nacho November! Next Wednesday November 21st is "Nacho November"! The kids will receive a plate of nacho chips with salsa and/or dipping cheese. Yum! Only \$2.50! Your kids will indicate which dips they want when they pick up their orders. Orders for nachos, pizza, and grilled cheese must be received by Thursday November 15th.

Hot Dog Day! Home and School will assist with monthly special occasions celebrated with hot dogs! This month's proceeds go to classroom art supplies. Did you know that pop artists Andy Warhol and Roy Lichtenstein both celebrated the lowly hot dog in several works of art....perhaps your little Picasso will be inspired! Next month: Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindogs!

School Clothing

Just in time for Christmas, Gagetown Home and School Association is taking orders for Gagetown School clothing! Hoodies, T-shirts, golf shirts, and more! Items are embroidered with the Gagetown eagle, and some items can be personalized! All the information is included on the order form. Orders are to be returned to the school for Friday November 23rd so they can be back before Christmas! A great gift idea not only for yourself or your kids, but also alumni, grandparents, or other friends and family that are Gagetown School supporters! Go Eagles!

Upcoming Dates - Mark Your Calendars

November 15 th	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Day
November 16 th	PJ Day
November 16 th	Movie Afternoon Grade 5-8
November 19 th	Pizza Day
November 19 th	PSSC meeting 6:00pm
November 22 nd	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Day
November 23 rd	School Clothing Orders Due
November 26 th	Pizza Day
November 29 th	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Day
November 30 th	Welcome to Kindergarten 1:30 - 2:30
December 3 rd	Pizza Day
December 6 th	Field Trip to Legislature and Beaverbrook Art Gallery
December 21 st	Last Day of Classes
January 7 th	NO School - PD Day
January 8 th	NO School - PD Day
January 9 th	First Day Back to School

Remembrance Day

On November 8th, Gagetown students and staff participated in our Remembrance Day Ceremony. Students created wreaths and a cross to lay at the podium. Several students wrote pieces which were shared with the audience. We would like to thank Mr. Chevalier and the other members of Legion Branch #71 for their participation in our ceremony. Mackenzie Scott and Nick Cross did an excellent job as the MC's for this special occasion. Thanks also to the sound crew of Dalton, Carl, Nick and Mackenzie and the entire middle level for organizing the seating.



Students Remembrance Day Poems

Remembrance Day make me remember the soldiers who died in the war. They fought in the war to keep our country free. The freedom the soldiers gave us feels great because we don't have to always watch our backs.

– Sage Gr. 2

I believe in the soldiers that died because they made our world free. The men and women made everybody's day peaceful and special. The people that died made our days better. We wear poppies to remember who died in war.

– Cory Gr. 2

Remembrance Day is my favorite time of year because we get to wear poppies. We remember the soldiers that died in the war. Some got injured some soldiers died in the war and I am sad because the soldiers that got shot were on the good team.

– Xavier Gr. 1

Remember

The Canadian soldiers
Fighting in the war
In tunnels taking cover from bombs
All this to save our land
On July 28, 1914
– Jade Gr. 7

Remember Them!

*Canadian soldiers are fighting for our freedom
Hiding in a trench waiting for their next command
In a tunnel traveling to the fight
Every night no rest. It's kill or be killed
For our freedom
– Libby*

There Is Still Hope

*The bombs boom,
Bullets zoom.
In darkness,
There is still hope.
When buildings fall
And sirens call.
In pain,
There is still hope.
When tanks are banging,
And you are hanging.
While falling,
There is still hope.
While you are calling,
But the world is falling.
When lying there,
There is still hope.
On Remembrance Day,
We stand there that way.
Wearing poppies
Meaning,
There is still hope.
– Mackenzie Gr. 7*

War

*Guns are shot,
People die.
Bombs go off,
People cry,
War is torture
For them and I.*

*The poppies are scattered,
The blood has been splattered.*

*As they lay below the ground
The dead hear these dreadful sounds,
People screams,
Guns going off,
They're asking for it to stop.*

*If this goes on
More people will die,
Rest in Peace to those who've died.
– Jennay Gr. 7*

Remember!

*What is going on in Afghanistan?
Where is the kindness going?
When is it going to end?
When is the exact time they fall?
Why is it that they go there voluntarily?
Is it that we can have freedom?
Is it that they want us to know them?
Is it that they can make us proud?
No it is that we can live and have fun doing it.
Please remember that they want us to live.
– Noah Gr. 7*

Lest we forget

*We remember,
The people who fought to protect.
They waited for the bombs to stop,
All the pain,
All the sacrifices,
They still kept fighting.
We wear poppies to remember the fallen,
If they didn't fight,
Canada would never be the same.
Lest we forget.
– Alyssa Gr. 7*